



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Serial No. 10/071,843
Filing Date February 8, 2002
Inventor John Cummings
Assignee Valence Technology, Inc.
Group Art Unit 2838
Examiner P. Tibbits
Attorney's Docket No. VA16-005
Title: Circuits, Apparatuses, Electrochemical Device Charging Methods, and Lithium-
Mixed Metal Electrode Cell Charging Methods

RESPONSE TO September 2, 2003 OFFICE ACTION

To: Mail Stop Fee Amendment
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

From: James D. Shaurette (Tel. 509-624-4276; Fax 509-838-3424)
Wells, St. John, P.S.
601 W. First Avenue, Suite 1300
Spokane, WA 99201-3828

RECEIVED
NOV 19 2003
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 2, 2003, Applicant amends and
remarks as follows:

AMENDMENTS